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AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated December 13, 2006, for which a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time, along with payment of the appropriate fee, is attached, making response due on or before April 13, 2007.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fees necessary for the continued pendency of the above-identified application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Accordingly, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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